UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

CIVIL	ACTION	NO.
04-300	66-MAP	

SUSAN O'CONNELL, Plaintiff, v. METROPOLITAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, Defendant.

JOINT MOTION TO EXTEND REPORTING DEADLINE

Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and Susan O'Connell jointly move to extend the current reporting deadline by a period of twenty-one (21) days, from February 6, 2006 to **February 27, 2006,** so that they may continue to discuss a settlement of the case. As grounds for this motion, the parties state that said additional time is necessary, as both parties would like to continue to attempt to settle the case before MetLife must report a claim determination with the Court.

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